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Ruttan, et al.

Serial No.: 09/675,259

Filed: September 28, 2000

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
CONNECTING A POWER
CONVERTER TO A LAND GRID
ARRAY

Examiner: Jean F. Duverne

Group Art Unit: 2839

Attorney Docket No.: 42390.P9486

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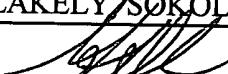
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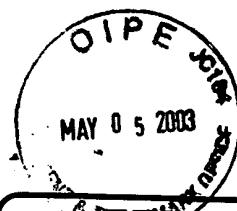
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1254	1,450	2254	725
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